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Evans *et al.*

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Sir:

In Response to the Office Action mailed October 1, 2002, please take the following remarks into consideration and enter the following amendments. Submitted herewith are: (1) a Petition for an Extension of Time for two (2) months from November 1, 2002 up to and including January 1, 2003 with payment by credit card; (2) a Power of Attorney, (3) Statement under 37 CFR § 3.73(b); (4) a copy of the Assignment; and (5) credit card payment form.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification on page 1, to insert above paragraph 1:

-- This application is a § 371 application of International Application No. PCT/GB99/02716, filed

August 17, 1999 which claims the benefit of the Great Britain Application No. 98180085 filed 09/18/1998 501744 09763876
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August 18, 1998, and 9826753.7 filed December 4, 1998 which are incorporated by reference in their entireties.--